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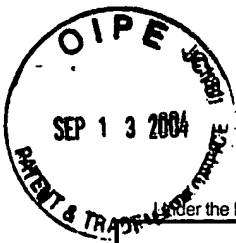


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Inventorship..... Salapaka et al.
Applicant..... Microsoft Corporation
Attorney's Docket No. MCS-073-03 (306709.1)
Title: **A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EFFICIENTLY TRANSFERRING MEDIA
ACROSS FIREWALLS**

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